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West Sac sewage route draws serious consideration

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

About 15 residents attended a meeting Monday night to discuss which area should be targeted for the routing of an underground sewage pipe. The pipe, which will connect northern and eastern areas of Sacramento to the Sacramento County's sewage plant in Elk Grove, could travel through either Sacramento or West Sacramento.

The project is being coordinated by the Sacramento Regional Community Services District -- which West Sacramento is considering joining in lieu of building an expanded sewage plant of its own.

The new "Lower Northwest Interceptor" is needed primarily because of new growth planned for the Natomas region, said SRCSD spokesperson John Buttz.

"That's really the primary driver for the schedule for Sacramento Regional," he said. "There's a need for additional capacity by 2006."

To provide that capacity, the district is studying a handful of different routes, with regard to cost (including construction and maintenance, over an 80-year lifespan), public impacts, environmental impacts and availability of easements and rights of way.

These total costs ranged from $280 million to $410 million for the five different proposals.

All proposed routes depart from the Natomas Pump Station near I-5 and I-80. Proposed routes are:

A Sacramento Corridor route, travelling east from the pump station, then south generally along 24th St. to points south and the Elk Grove Plant.

A "River Corridor" route, crossing to the eastern edge of West Sacramento, following rail lines south, then recrossing the Sacramento River and going south within Sacramento to the plant.

A "West Sac #2 Corridor," also following West Sacramento rail lines south, but continuing southwards through Yolo County until turning eastwards near Freeport.

"West Sac Corridor #1," proceeding westwards until it crosses the Sacramento River near Bryte, then traveling south through West Sacramento's industrial areas and River City High School area to rejoin the southern portion of Corridor #2.

A "Levee Corridor," circumventing West Sacramento to the west.

Based on a weighting of cost and other factors, the top three options – West Sacramento #2, Sacramento and the River corridors – are being forwarded for further consideration.

The discussion is concurrent with West Sacramento negotiations to join the sanitary district – but one current sticking point is the proposed $33 million hookup fee (estimated in 1995) the city is being asked to pay.

For information on the proposals, call Patti Gillman, 736-6900.

Stadium: bond sale tentatively for this month

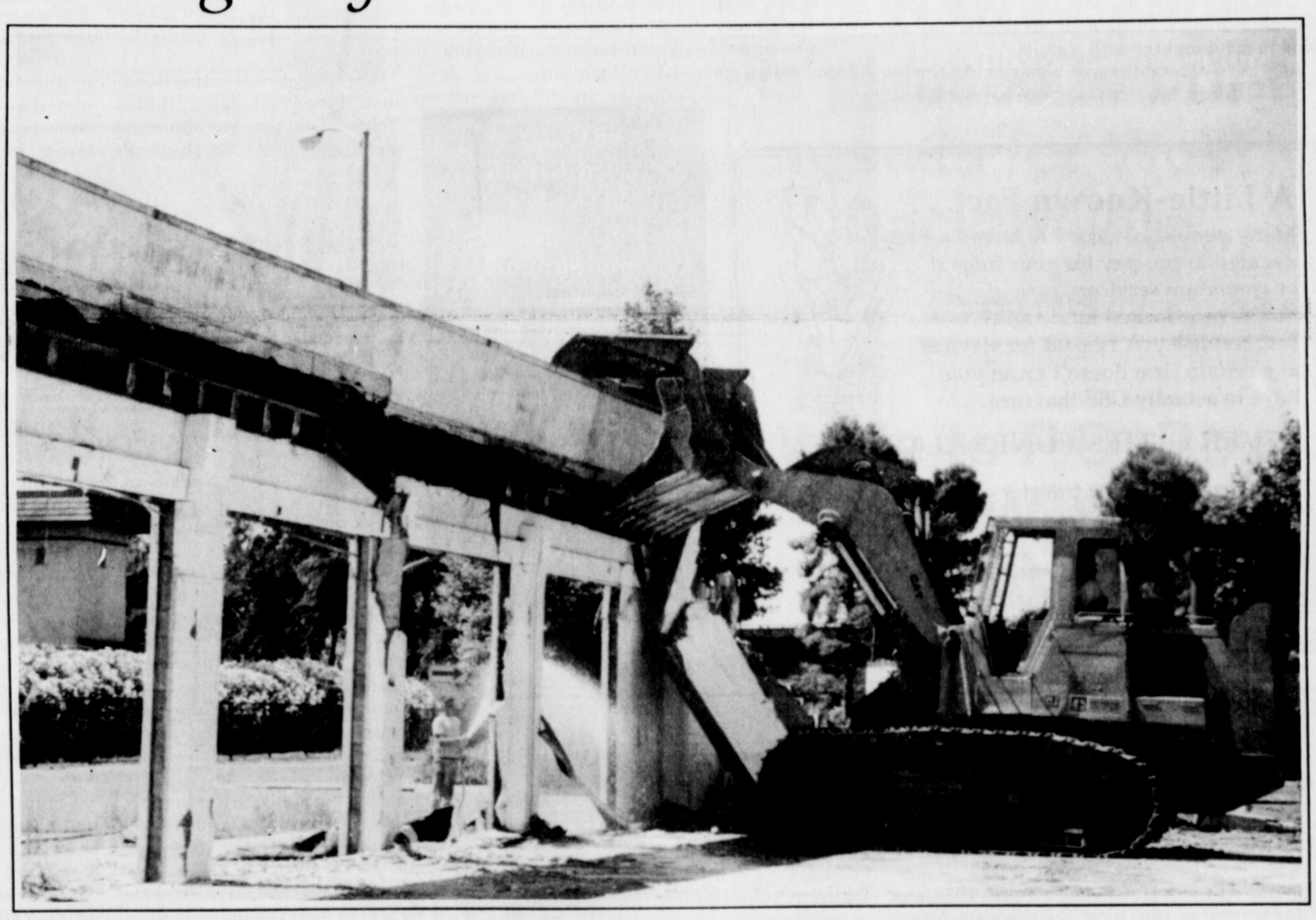
Officials for the Joint Powers Authority formed to help finance a West Sacramento minor league baseball stadium are still waiting for a formal legal opinion from their bond counsel. But the pieces appear to be in place for a $40 million construction bond sale.

"The target is the end of the month," said Larry von Kaenel, assistant city manager in West Sacramento.

West Sacramento has joined the Joint Powers Authority (JPA) with Sacramento County and Yolo County. Sacramento plans to guarantee two-thirds of the $40 million in bonds, and West Sacramento plans to guarantee the balance. The bonds are supposed to be repaid with proceeds from the ballpark.

This month, a lawsuit attempting to block construction was tossed out by Yolo County Superior Court Judge Timothy Fall. While an appeal is possible, city officials are optimistic that the bonds could be issued nevertheless.

Making way



Monday, the first of two buildings was taken down to make way for the future construction of West Sacramento's new civic center. Located at the corner of Merkley Ave. and West Capitol Ave., the complex will include a senior center, city council chambers and community meeting rooms. Designs are underway. (Photo courtesy of Art Schroeder, Redev. Agency)

Council to hear report on uses for firehouse

From Art Schroeder
Redevelopment & Housing Agency
West Sacramento

The West Sacramento City Council will be presented with a report on the Washington Firehouse tonight (July 14). The report will contain results of the architectural design and cost estimation study by McCabe Pressey Architects. The report also requests that the council authorize the West Sacramento Redevelopment Agency to solicit proposals to rehabilitate and occupy the historic building.

Any proposals and options for the rehabilitation of the property will be considered at a future council meeting.

McCabe-Pressey's scope of work included public meetings in February and March to discuss community needs and suggestions for the former firehouse in the Broderick area.

The council meeting begins at 7 p.m. in the City Council Chambers, 2101 Stone Blvd., West Sacramento. Copies of the report are available at the Arthur F. Turner Branch Library and at the office of the City Clerk, 2101 Stone Blvd., or on the city's web site, www.ci.west-sacramento.ca.us.

ABOUT TOWN:

Barney the Visiting Beagle

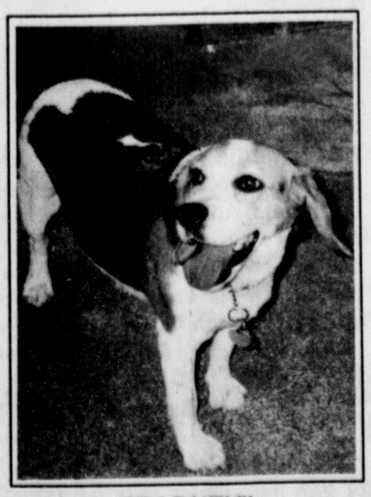
By Daryl Fisher
Features Editor

West Sacramento's Gary and Karrie Campbell got Barney the beagle from friends a couple of years ago.

"Our friends have a young daughter who is a little scared of dogs," explained Karrie, "so they asked us if we would like to take Barney and we jumped at the opportunity. Our friend's veterinarian had tried to find a home for him without any success, so I guess we were just meant to have him."

Like most beagles, Barney is very bright, likes to howl, and has lots of energy, but what separates Barney from the pack and makes him the subject of this week's "About Town" article is his absolute determination to spend as much of his day as possible 'about town'.

"From the day we got him," said Karrie, "Barney has always been able to find a way to get out of our backyard and go visiting. He knows where my parents and my mother-in-law live, and most days he will stop off there for awhile before making his other stops. From what we have learned, he has quite a number of specific homes and other dogs that he likes to visit, as well as Westmore Oaks Elementary School, which is about two blocks away from our house. He really loves children, and I can't tell you how many times the principal has called me at work to tell me that Barney was at the school again. She's always so nice about it, as is everyone else who Barney has taken a liking to."



"BARNEY"

"It almost feels as if Barney belongs to the school," said Westmore Oaks Elementary School principal Eileen Kleiser. "The kids all know him by name and when he shows up on campus, they know to tell a teacher so we can get a leash on him and bring him to the office. One year Barney even rode on the Westmore Oaks float in the West Sacramento Columbus Day parade, so he is very much loved by quite a few of our students. I think he knows that Westmore Oaks is a great place to go to get all the petting he wants, and maybe that's why he keeps coming back? He sure is an awfully sweet dog."

Karrie and Gary have done their best to keep Barney at home, but sometimes the task seems almost impossible.

"He used to get out through loose boards in the fence," said Karrie, "but after Gary fixed all of those, he was still somehow managing to escape. Then one day one of our neighbors told us they had seen Barney walking along the top of their fence, which we found hard to believe, but sure enough, he had discovered that he could climb up on our pool pump, then jump up on the 2x4's of our fence, and from there, walk along the top of

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Bad sex can sometimes make for a great grocery list

Editor's note: Daryl is on summer vacation from column writing for the next few weeks. What follows is one of his favorites from the past.

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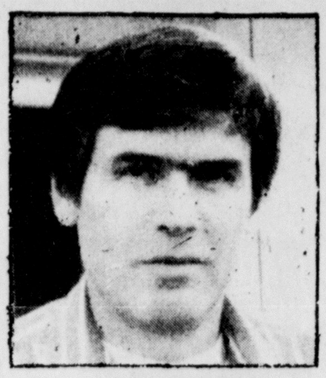

By Daryl Fisher

I was strolling through my living room the other afternoon and a voice on the television set cried out, "Has all the romance gone out of your marriage? Is your sex life no longer what it used to be? Well, that's what our panel is here to discuss today and I think you'll be absolutely amazed at what some of our couples have to say. We'll be right back after these messages. Don't touch that dial! Stay tuned!"

"Just what kind of garbage are you two watching today?" I asked my daughter and oldest son, who were sprawled out on the couch fighting over the television remote control button.

"You're the one who said we couldn't watch People's Court anymore," my son said to me.

"And I'm just killing time until Days of Our Lives comes on at four," explained my daughter.

"Just what stupid show is that, anyway?" I asked, pointing at the television set.

"It's either Montel Williams, Geraldo, or Donahue," my son informed me. "I forget which one."

"It's not Sally or Oprah," added my daughter. "They don't come on until later in the day."

"So," I said, "let me get this straight. The two of you are going to sit around here for the next hour and listen to people discuss their sex lives?"

"Well," said my son matter-of-factly, "it sure beats Little House on the Prairie or Yogi & His Friends."

"And this one actually sounds pretty tame compared to some of the subjects they usually discuss on these talk shows," said my daughter.

"Yeah," said my son, "yesterday, Geraldo had on all these guys who had had sex change operations."

"And it was gross!" said my daughter, wrinkling up her face in disgust.

"That's not what you said the other day when Donahue had on those male strippers," my son said to my daughter with a smile.

Just as my daughter was about to clobber her brother, the moderator of the television talk show welcomed back the home viewing audience and asked his first question of the panel.

"So," said the moderator, "tell us, Bill, how would you describe your sex life after ten years of marriage?"

"All I know," said Bill, looking directly at his wife, who was sitting next to him, "is that Federal employees get off more days a year than I do."

"Come on, you guys," I said to my chucking son and daughter. "Don't waste your day watching this garbage. Go carve the pumpkins or something."

Anyway, as I supervised my kids carving their halloween pumpkins (they always insist on using the biggest, sharpest knives in the house), I suddenly found myself recalling a conversation I had years and years ago with an old friend from high school who had discovered that even a lousy sex-life can have an up side. The conversation went something like this:

"For a long time," she explained, "making love has mostly been a really good way for me to organize my grocery shopping list."

"You're probably going to have to explain that," I said with a smile she didn't return.

"I'm serious," she insisted. "If Ron (fictitious name) and I are going to make love, it's almost always on a Saturday night. He's too tired on weeknights -- from working -- and on Sunday night he's usually worn out from playing golf or going fishing or whatever. And forget the mornings -- he always wakes up cranky -- plus he has this thing about morning breath."

"But what does any of this have to do with your grocery list?" I asked with interest.

"Well, I happen to hate crowded grocery stores, so I always do my shopping on Sunday mornings, you know, when everyone's at church or visiting relatives or sleeping in. And somewhere along the line, our Saturday night love making got pretty boring, and while we were, you know, being intimate, I'd organize my shopping list in my head. And over the years, I'm afraid it's got to be kind of a habit."

"You're putting me on, right?" I asked.

"No I'm not. Do you ever do the grocery shopping?"

"Not really."

"Well, take my word for it, if you haven't got a pretty good idea of what you need, you'll end up impulse buying and coming home with a lot of stuff you really don't need and hardly any of the things you do. It's really important to have a good list."

"So, let me get this straight, you're telling me that you can be making love to someone and be thinking about vegetables and boxes of cereal at the same time?" She nodded her head. "I don't believe you."

"That's because you're a man," she said with an all-knowing smile. "Plus you've never slept with Ron."

New at the library:

From Elise McCallan
Yolo County Library
Arthur F. Turner Branch

New titles at the local library include:

"How to Talk to Teens About Really Important Things: Specific Questions and Answers and Useful Things to Say," by Charles E. Schaefer, Ph.D., and Theresa Foy DiGeronimo, M.Ed.

"Building Your Outdoor Home: 30 Easy Landscaping Projects," a Black & Decker Outdoor Home Book.

"500 (Practically) Fat-Free One-Pot Recipes," by Sarah Schlesinger.

"The American Physical Therapy Association Book of Body Maintenance and Repair," by Marilyn Moffat, PT, Ph.D., FAPTA, and Steve Vickery.

"Love you like a Sister: 30 Cool Rules for Making and Being a Better Best Friend."

Obituaries

August "Gus" Vieceli

Services were held Friday, July 9 at the Green Valley Mortuary, for August "Gus" Vieceli, who died July 2, 1999. Interment was at the Green Valley Cemetery, also in Cameron Park.

Mr. Vieceli was superintendent of the Washington Unified School District for about 20 years, ending in 1988. His death was due to complications from recent surgery.

A native of Cicero, Illinois, he was 67 years old.

Mr. Vieceli more recently was a part-time faculty member at the National University. In his retirement, he enjoyed painting and his works were once displayed at the Arthur F. Turner Branch Library in West Sacramento. He was a past president of the West Sacramento Lions Club as well.

Mr. Vieceli and his wife Hazel resided in Placerville at the time of his death.

Mr. Vieceli was the father of Richard Vieceli of Sacramento and Angela Lina of Placerville; and brother of Tony Vieceli of Chicago. Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association.

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From the Elderly Nutrition Program in Yolo County
People Resources, Inc.

Did you know that a hot lunch is served to the doorstep of 75 frail, homebound seniors (most of whom are low income) throughout West Sacramento each day? Did you also know that there are almost 20 seniors on the waiting list, who cannot be served, because there is not enough help to deliver the meals? For many, this is the only balanced nutritious meal and the only visitor they receive each day.

The Elderly Nutrition Program in Yolo County is in need of volunteers to deliver meals to our most vulnerable population. To meet the needs of these seniors and eliminate the waiting list, we want to create a new delivery route to feed up to 24 seniors. In order to do this, we are looking for local companies to "adopt a delivery route" and for individuals to offer their time. It takes approximately 10-20 people to maintain a delivery route on a monthly basis.

Volunteers are needed one time a week, two times a month or as your schedule will allow. Meals are delivered Monday through Friday (except holidays) between 10:45 a.m. and 12 p.m. All we ask is that you drive your own car, maintain current car insurance and have a valid driver's license (mileage reimbursement available on request). All other supplies are provided, as well as training.

The Elderly Nutrition Program is a private, non-profit organization providing over 100,000 meals annually to senior citizens in a friendly congregate setting and directly to the homes of frail elderly shut-ins throughout Yolo County.

For more information on volunteering, call Carmen Glenn at the West Sacramento Senior Center, 373-5819.

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SPORTS

Sports Insider

By Richard Novoa

The USA Women's soccer team accomplished the last part of their mission by winning the World Cup title in a remarkable display of courage and determination in beating China before a record crowd of 91,185 soccer fans and President Clinton.

The US team battled China to a 0-0 draw for 120 minutes, that included two sudden death overtime periods. This classic game, which produced the most-watched soccer game ever on U.S. network television, had to be determined on penalty kicks with the USA winning 5-4. The game posted a 13.3 share overnight rating and a 32 share, 4 percent more than the previous record of 12.8 for the 1994 men's World Cup final at the Rose Bowl.

Each rating point represents an estimated 940,000 homes. The ABC television network estimated 40 million U.S. viewers and according to another report, 200 million in China watched the final on television! Those are huge numbers if you consider that NBC reported an 11.3 average for the San Antonio-New York Knicks NBA finals and about the same numbers the Major league All-Star drew on Tuesday's game.

The teams efforts were rewarded, as the U.S. Soccer Federation awarded the ladies a $1 million bonus, that will be split among the players. That breaks down to about 50K per player, which beat the $12K they were going to receive. The women ended up this week at Disneyland and then traveled cross-country to New York to celebrated their victory on a few television talk shows. The women not only play great fundamental soccer, but they are great role models for the boys and girls soccer players of the world. Hats off the the Women's World Cup Champions!!

This is tough act to follow for the poor Men's World Cup team, who are currently preparing for a tough tournament that starts on July 24th. The U.S. team, which is still reeling from their disappointing showing at the World Cup in Europe last year, are headed for the FIFA Confederation Cup in Guadalajara, Mexico. The USA will exchange boots Brazil, Germany and New Zealand!

Ouch!

It's the All-Star break for the Major leaguers on Tuesday but the Giants and A's will be circling the wagons for the second half of the season. The Giants (50-38) are hanging on to first place, while the A's (43-44) are showing improvement in second place, trailing the Rangers by 5 games. The two teams open up the second half on Thursday, July 15 playing each other at the Oakland Coliseum. After their three games series ends on Saturday, the Giants head to Texas for three games before coming home to play San Diego on July 21. The A's will stay at home and tangle with the Rockies until July 20th. Just a quick note for Giants-Dodgers fans! The remainder of the tickets for season ending series (Sept. 28-30) at 3Com Park between these arch rivals go on sale (10 a.m.) on Monday, July 19. These tickets will be worth their weight in gold, the last Giants Dodgers games of the century at Candlestick Park!!

Speaking of gold, Fernando Vargas will be fighting Raul Marquez on July 17th in 12 round championship bout at Ceaser Tahoe on HBO's Saturlay night at the fights.

See ya next week!!!

Local leagues' All-Stars vying for District 6 title

The West Sacramento Little League 10-year old All Stars won their fourth game in a row Monday night, beating Rio Linda 7-6 at Rio Linda.

The victory put West Sacramento back into the winners' bracket in the District 6 Tournament, and the team was scheduled to play Washington Little League yesterday evening. If West Sacramento wins tonight, it has to play Washington again on Wednesday for the district championship. West Sac coach David Blake said "the kids are all playing well and they will have to do their very best to beat the fine Washington team."

Washington and West Sacramento met in the first game of the tournament, with Washington winning. Washington remains undefeated in the tournament as of Monday.

Send in your local sports results.

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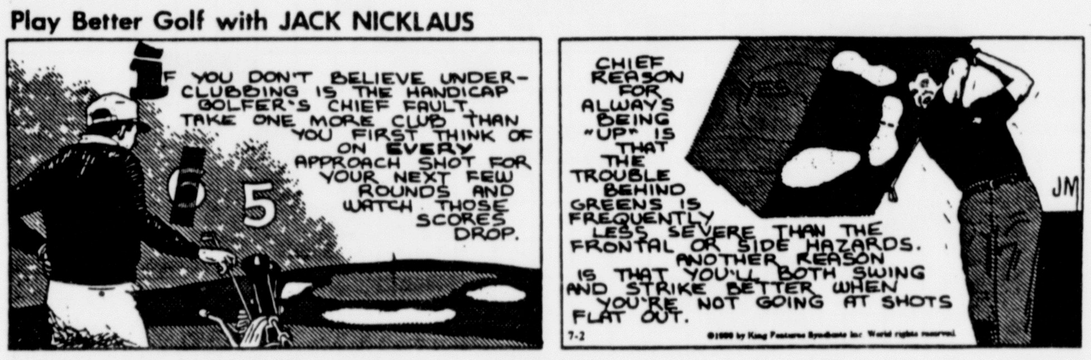
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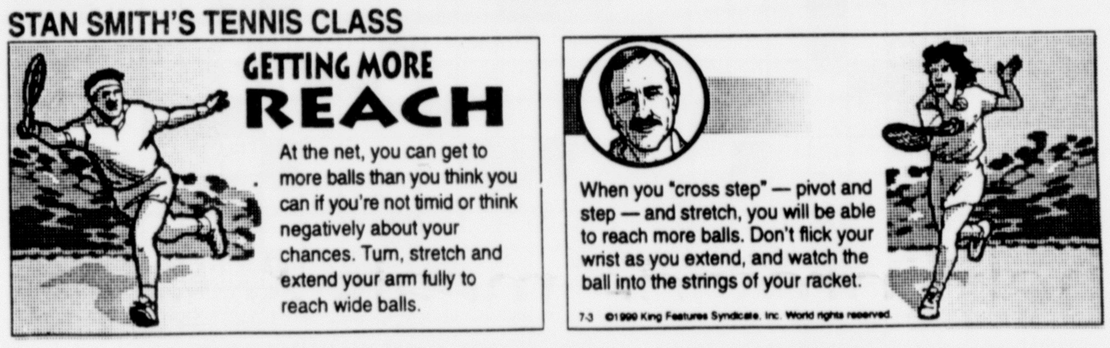
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Sports quiz

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1. What position did the late and great legendary Joe DiMaggio play for the New York Yankees?
2. Who was the first Montreal Expo starting pitcher to throw a no-hitter for the expansion team in 1969?
3. What famous baseball player and coach had a long-running (just ended) feud with Yankee owner George Steinbrenner?
4. Name the only New York Yankee to be named to 16 different All-Star American League teams.
5. Can you name the oldest Rookie of the Year in Major League History?
6. Can you name the first-ever Hispanic Hall of Famer for Major League Baseball in 1973?
7. What was Pete Rose's nickname during his playing days with the Cincinnati Reds?
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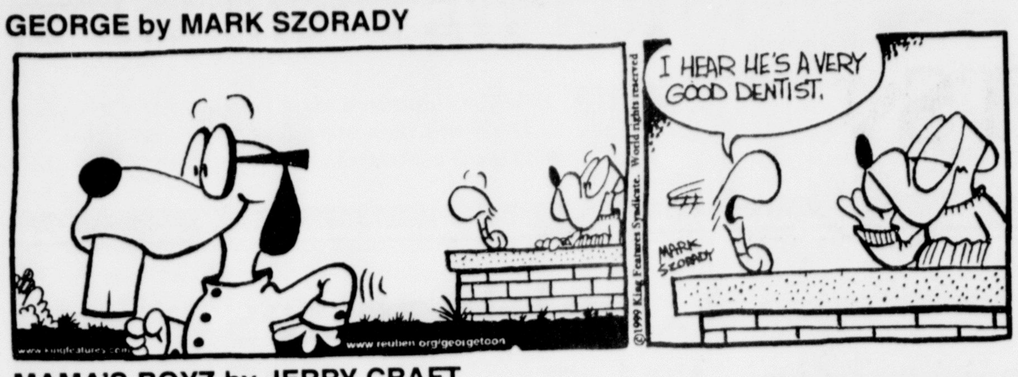

MAMA'S BOYZ by JERRY CRAFT

DAG! TAKING CARE OF KARLA'S BABY IS NO JOKE, MA!
FATHERHOOD IS A MAJOR COMMITMENT.
YOU HAVE TO FEED 'EM, BURP 'EM, CHANGE 'EM, BUY GROCERIES...
WHEN DOES IT STOP?
WHO SAYS IT EVER STOPS?!
MOM, CAN YOU MAKE ME A SANDWICH?
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THE SPATS by JEFF PICKERING

HAROLD!!! YOU NEVER DO ANYTHING ROMANTIC ANYMORE!!!
YOU SHOULD MAKE ME A CANDLELIGHT DINNER TONIGHT!!
OKAY, IF YOU SAY SO..
I DON'T SEE WHAT'S SO ROMANTIC ABOUT EATING A BUNCH OF WAX?
PICKERING

OUT ON A LIMB by GARY KOPERVAS

POPEYE
HEY EISMAN
HOW CAN I GET MY SWEET PATOOTIE TO BE MORE ROMANTIC?
HMM... THAT'S A PROBLEM...
...THAT'S GOING TO TAKE SOME THOUGHT!
DID YOU EVER THINK OF A MAKEOVER OF YOUR HAIR-STYLE?
DO YOU THINK THAT WOULD MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE TO POPEYE?
IT'S WORTH A TRY... LET'S SEE...
HOW ABOUT WILD AND WOOLY?
OR PERHAPS THE POODLE CUT?
I DON'T THINK SO
...THE WEDGE?
NO
THE BOB?
NO
TAILS?
THE FRIZZ?
DO YOU NOTICE ANYTHING DIFFERENT ABOUT ME, POPEYE?
DON'T TELL ME YA LORST WEIGHT
7-4

BUTCH AND DOUGIE by ALEX HOWELL

BUTCH! YOU ATE ALL THE FROSTING OFF OF YOUR CUPCAKE!
I KNOW...
AREN'T YOU GOING TO EAT THE REST?
SURE!... I WAS SAVING THAT PART FOR DESSERT!
ALEX HOWELL

FLASH GORDON
BY JIM KEEFE
7-4
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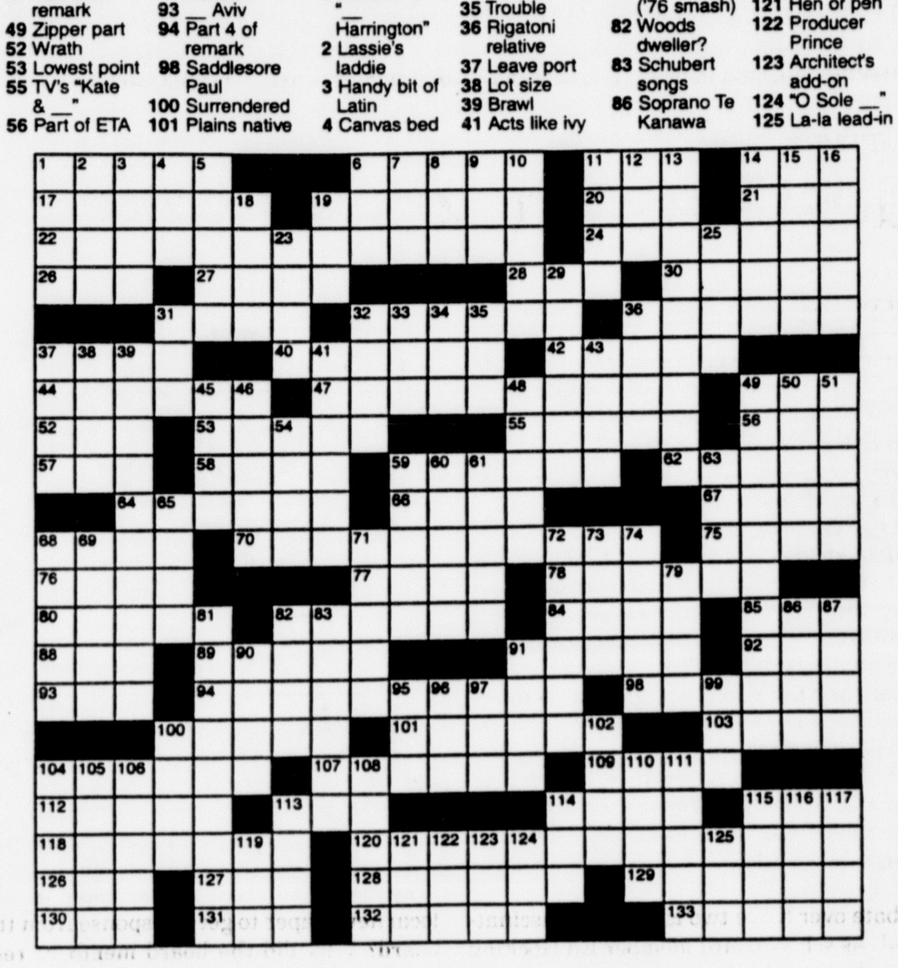
ON THE PLANET MONGO, DR. HANS ZARKOV LABORS DILIGENTLY TO REPAIR THE SPACE PORTAL... HIS FRIEND'S LIVES HANGING IN THE BALANCE!
I WARN YOU, DOCTOR. NO TRICKS.
DON'T LISTEN TO HIM, HANS. MING WILL KILL US REGARDLESS!
FLASH GORDON
DALE ARDEN
DR. HANS ZARKOV
I... HAVE NO CHOICE. I MUST DO AS HE SAYS!
I JUST PRAY FLASH SURVIVED... AND CAN HELP US... SOMEHOW!
MEANWHILE, IN THE SKIES OVER BOSTON...
SO THAT DEVICE BACK IN MY APARTMENT IS SOME KIND OF DOORWAY BETWEEN WORLDS?
I KNOW IT'S HARD TO BELIEVE.
WITH EVERYTHING THAT'S HAPPENED... NOT THAT HARD.
SO NOW YOU KNOW WHY IT'S IMPERATIVE I GET IT BACK!
UNFORTUNATELY FOR FLASH, A DISGRUNTLED LANDLORD HAS OTHER PLANS...
CAN'T PAY HER RENT... THE APARTMENT RUINED.
I'LL GET MY MONEY ONE WAY OR THE OTHER!
NEXT: STOLEN!

Super Crossword

ACROSS
1 VCR button
6 Tried again
11 Entertainer Zadora
14 Flight
17 Nixed
19 Gentlemen's place?
20 Rainbow shape
21 Funnyman Philips
22 Start of a remark by Carolyn Coats
24 Marsh plant
26 Punters' org.
27 Hoss's real name
28 Use a shuttle
30 Jamaican cultist
31 Transfer temporarily
32 Baker's need
36 Breeze
37 Cash stash
40 Position
42 Appearance
44 Puzzle direction
47 Part 2 of remark
49 Zipper part
52 Wrath
53 Lowest point
55 TV's "Kate & __"
56 Part of ETA
57 Novelist Harper
58 Neighbor of Pakistan
59 Liepaja's land
62 Burn a bit
64 Femme __
66 Pennsylvania port
67 Threaded item
68 "Cat on __ Tin Roof"
70 Part 3 of remark
75 Atkins or Huntley
76 Barcelona bull
77 Endure
78 Inventor Otis
80 Serengeti sahib
82 Resonates raucously
84 It's a long story
85 Luau instrument
88 Feel wretched
89 Panache
91 Languished
92 Pack number?
93 __ Aviv
94 Part 4 of remark
98 Saddlesore Paul
100 Surrendered
101 Plains native
103 Rainbow goddess
104 Repeat performance
107 Pleased as Punch
109 Middleweight Tony
112 Pick up
113 In favor of
114 Cheeseboard choice
115 Baseball's Ripken
118 Trattoria treats
120 End of remark
126 Japanese statesman
127 It may be crude
128 Erato's sister
129 Soup spot
130 Buck's beloved
131 Society page word
132 Opening remark?
133 Black-and-white delight

DOWN
1 Meredith's "__ Harrington"
2 Lassie's laddie
3 Handy bit of Latin
4 Canvas bed
5 Snicker sound
6 Legal matter
7 Significant years
8 Comic DeLuise
9 Claire or Balin
10 He went through hell
11 Covenant
12 Lyricist Gershwin
13 Play girls?
14 Rover's restraint
15 "Jaws" setting
16 Drilling site?
18 Bruce or Laura
19 Tayback of "Alice"
23 Clears (of)
25 Cassette
29 Pier of "The Silver Chalice"
31 August one?
32 Cowardly Lion Bert
33 Rock producer Brian
34 Master
35 Trouble
36 Rigatoni relative
37 Leave port
38 Lot size
39 Brawl
41 Acts like ivy
43 West-Coast sch.
45 Agitated state
46 __ Jessica Parker
48 Laid a road
49 Wagner opera
50 Bicker
51 "The Sun Also Rises" heroine
54 Spanish surrealist
59 "The Merry Widow" composer
60 Greet Eos
61 Leans
63 Desire
65 Like __ of bricks
68 Strawberry stat
69 Comedian Mandel
71 Bow or Barton
72 Live
73 See 89 Across
74 African river
79 "Smooth Operator" singer
81 "__ Delight" ('76 smash)
82 Woods dweller?
83 Schubert songs
86 Soprano Te Kanawa
87 Former spouses
90 Big vein
91 Little lake
95 Health concern
96 "Good-Fellas" gun
97 Be in debt
99 Compete
100 Succotash ingredient
102 __ Taft Benson
104 Spanish hero
105 Peachy-keen
106 Kayak, for one
108 Reluctant
110 "__ it the truth?"
111 Abate
113 Velvet feature
114 Arthur of "Maude"
115 "Fargo" director Joel
116 In the sack
117 Singer Horne
119 Inexactitude
121 Hen or pen
122 Producer Prince
123 Architect's add-on
124 "O Sole __"
125 La-la lead-in



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— FOOT

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E C B Z Y W T V C T U S R A U
Q P N M L J I H T A L F F H R

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions-forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

Acre
Athlete's
Board
Cloven
Club
Crow's
Elephant's
Flat
Hand and
Rabbit's
Right
Running
Trench
Under
Wrong

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Find at least six differences in details between panels.

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- Vertical squares should add to totals on bottom.
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Today's Challenge
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OPINION

News-Ledger Editorial:

What's far more important than the team's name:

Sometimes it takes a comic to put things in perspective. Humorist Dave Barry did so this week by choosing to write about his experience serving as a sports team mascot, dressing up in a ridiculous outfit and hobnobbing with fans alongside the ballfield.

Of course. It's so obvious now. River City Baseball has it backwards: instead of holding a contest to name its new Triple A baseball, they should center the contest around choosing the new team's mascot. The name – an entirely secondary consideration -- can follow.

The Vancouver Canadians are due to begin play here next April. Sometime between now and then it needs a new moniker.

("I don't understand," quipped Yolo Supervisor Dave Rosenburg recently. "What's wrong with the 'West Sacramento Canadians'?")

Sure, it needs a new name, but isn't the choice of mascot the more important thing? When you're down by six runs in the eighth inning (heaven forbid), and there isn't much going on down on the diamond worth looking at, isn't the choice of mascot going to loom far more important than the choice of the team's name?

At that point, what kind of costumed character do you want to watch dancing up and down on the dugout roof? What manner of polyester beast do you wish to view taunting the visiting players? Something fierce? Ridiculous? Athletic? Or would you merely maximize your viewing pleasure by having a team mascot dressed in the most dehumanizing and uncomfortable costume possible for the unlucky human inside the mascot skin?

Some pro teams have opted for chickens or mystery animals as their official mascot.

Surely we can do better. Perhaps some predator that preys on steelheads.

A northern pike?

Guest opinion:

Questions on school safety & graduation policy unanswered

From Megan Rice
West Sacramento

For three weeks, I read the editorial page of the *News-Ledger* with extreme interest, beginning on June 2 with the guest cartoon drawn by River City High School art teacher Mr. Schumacher.

The next week, two school board members responded to the cartoon with the concern that it was a "tasteless" negative attack on River City High School students. Then, on June 16, Mr. Schumacher and two other teachers wrote letters explaining that the school board members had misinterpreted the cartoon – that it was not to attack the students, but to bring some serious issues -- that they felt had been ignored -- to the public eye. The June 16 newspaper also brought to light another critical subject matter. The school board met in closed door session and voted to allow a senior at River City High School to graduate and participate in the graduation ceremony even though he had failed to meet the graduation requirements.

The debate over these two issues was fascinating to read. As school board member Ed Hocking wrote in his letter, "Good schools, whether or not you have a student currently attending, benefit every citizen of the community."

That is the reason I am writing this letter. Schools are essential to our community, and I feel that several serious problems with our community's schools were brought to light as part of the debate. Unfortunately, after just three issues of the News-Ledger, the subject seemed to be suddenly dropped, leaving me with more questions than answers.

For example, do any of the other school board members have comments on these issues? Do they share in the concerns raised by the teachers or the two school board members who responded to the cartoon? Why have we seen no response from the school administrators? What is being done to solve the problems? How do you feel about the teachers' statements accusing the board of refusing to listen to and address their concerns? Why did the board not respond to Mr. Schumacher's original letter (to the board) signed by the majority of the high school faculty, raising concern over the problem of drugs and weapons on campus? Why did it take a political cartoon printed in the local newspaper to get a response from the school board? Why did the board members respond so defensively? Is the safety of our students and school employees at risk? Why would the board place a student who drew a picture of himself sodomizing his teacher back into the same teacher's classroom?

Is the quality of education for the good, hardworking students being compromized because the problems caused by the few are being ignored? What do River City High School students and parents think? What do the other school employees think? How do you feel about the cartoon and the community's response to it? Do you think there is a problem with weapons and drugs on campus? Should we settle for (board member) Irene Eklund's statement that "one can find drugs on any campus on America," or should we strive for a drug-free campus? What do you think about the student being allowed to graduate? Why was the student allowed to graduate? Why was the decision made by the board behind closed doors? Were there any other students who were in the same situation – five credits short of graduating? Were they allowed to graduate also, or were the standards different for them? Were any laws broken as a result of this decision? Were the rights of any other students violated? Does the school board and Yolo High School really have the power to, in effect, change the grade one of their teachers has given a student? Doesn't that undermine the authority of our teachers? Will decisions like this make quality teachers question whether they want to work in this district?

What does the board's decision say to the students who met or exceeded the graduation requirements? What does it say about the quality of education in our district? Shouldn't we be raising our educational standards, rather than simply disregarding the ones we already have?

I know I have raised a long list of questions, many of which were already raised in the previous letters to the editor. However, they are important and valid questions and they remain unanswered. These concerns are important to our entire community and I am shocked that the issues seems to have been dropped so quickly. The problems in our school district need to be addressed head-on, and in the public arena. I am sure that there are other members of the West Sacramento community who have as many – or more – questions as I do. I encourage them, along with members of the educational community, to continue to raise questions and solutions in an effort to make West Sacramento's schools the best they can be.

Letters to the Editor

Why stadium is a good thing

The baseball stadium issue is back on track again for real this time, I hope.

As for myself, I care nothing about baseball. I am not a sports-minded person. I probably will never attend a game. However, I do want the stadium here. Yes! Most emphatically, yes!

There are more baseball fans than not, I should think, and it will be a great boon to our city to have accomplished this feat!

It should bring a number of jobs for people of this area and also probably will attract businesses to locate here. We should all thank the nice judge that pondered greatly over this issue – and made the right decision.

We should also thank our city council members who worked towards accomplishing this goal. It is now a *fait accompli*.

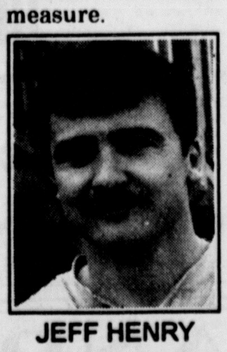
Well, maybe I will attend opening night. Maybe I'll be asked to throw out the first ball (yeah, right). Well, I can dream. The first ball honors should go to every person who made this dream come true. That's a lot of balls!

They say if you build it, they will come, and they surely will. Let the games begin. The lions have been slain and the gladiators have triumphed!

ALVINA FERGUSON
West Sacramento

Chamber prez: 'yes' on bond

Recently, Dr. Dennis Kelleher of the Washington Unified School District attended our Chamber luncheon and spoke about the benefits of the school bond proposal for the November ballot. We, as chamber members, were asked if we would support this particular bond measure.



JEFF HENRY

I have been spending quite some time researching this proposal, and at the early stages of the concept, I was concerned with having a specific scope of work identified that justified the actual bond amount. My obvious concern was whether or not this was just another arbitrary number someone thought would be nice to have. One other concern was whether there was commitment on the part of the (School) Board to actually get the schools in shape.

I was well pleased to find that from the onset of the bond measure discussions, an objective committee was selected to oversee the actual needs of the school district and propose a bond which tied directly to those needs. A preliminary proposal has been drafted outlining various substandard items within each school site.

It is also of some note that land owned by the school district, which is not dedicated for a new school site, is being placed on the market for sale. This goes a long way in solidifying my faith in a district committed to taking all measures available to place itself in the forefront of education in this area.

With the new residential projects actually breaking ground instead of in the conceptual phase, this is the right time to tackle our aging and outdated facilities. There is a tremendous amount of growth not only in residential areas, but in commercial and industrial areas as well. We may well be in a position to miss a very strong new wave of energy if, at our peak of interest, our school system falls dramatically short of what is required to draw new employers and residents.

I had the pleasure of passing out our scholarships at the high school graduation ceremony, and I have seen the pride in the students' faces at their own achievements. It was a very rewarding experience to see how much they saw in themselves and in their surroundings.

I will ask the board of directors and each and every chamber member to show our pride in our students' efforts by standing up for a decent, modern and safe learning environment, and standing behind the school bond.

JEFF HENRY
President
West Sacramento Chamber of Commerce

Fight to save firehouse

Now is the time. There is no other time.

On Wednesday, July 14, the West Sacramento Community Development Department will recommend to the city council that they wait and see about if market in the Washington Historic District matures before rehabilitating the historic Washington Firehouse/Townhall for use.

It has been two years since the citizens of West Sacramento made known to the city council that the desire of the citizens was to rehabilitate the Washington Firehouse/Townhall and put it to use. The city council overturned its previous decision to demolish the firehouse and the mayor stated that the Washington Firehouse/Townhall was to be the hub of all redevelopment in West Sacramento, and they did not mind spending the money for it. There were many meetings and money was spent by the city. Money was structured into the redevelopment department's 1998 budget for this. It was not scheduled into the department's budget for 1999-2000. Why? Redevelopment can defund another project to provide funds for the rehabilitation of the firehouse.

Waiting to see if redevelopment in the Washington Historic District progresses sufficiently to support the rehabilitation costs of the firehouse is, in my opinion, defeating the purpose. They are getting the spokes ahead of the hub. The spokes, i.e., redevelopment, will go nowhere without the hub.

In other words, no one is going to buy into a notoriously criminal environment until it is erased, cleaned up and eliminated. The city showed us that putting in the Money Store and cleaning up and improving the infrastructure of Third Street was a strong deterrent to crime. In a community meeting with five developers last month who propose to develop the east bank of our riverfront, they told us that redevelopment would strongly deter criminal activity in our community.

Likewise, rehabilitating the historic Washington Firehouse/Townhall and putting it to use will achieve this.

We, the citizens of West Sacramento and our city officials have a joint and several responsibility for carrying out our obligation to rid West Sacramento of its notorious criminal environment.

West Sacramento's "Safe Streets Now" formed in Feb. 1999 by West Sacramento citizens, works with the West Sacramento Police Department and Code Enforcement and has been actively and ef-

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PAGE FROM THE PAST

Local Items

Items pertaining to all persons in and around Washington and all parts of Yolo County are welcomed by The Independent. The paper aims to give a correct account of all local events of interest. The impossibility of reaching every home is apparent and therefore the request is made that these little items be sent to the office at the Postoffice or to the Peoples Bank in Sacramento.—Editor.

The Sacramento River registered 7 feet 6 inches, U. S. gauge at the bridge, yesterday.

Members of the Volunteer Firemen went to the Empress Theatre in Sacramento last Sunday night in a body to witness the moving pictures of the water fight held on July 4th. The boys were much surprised at the figures they cut when under fire.

The baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. J. Allerton was badly bruised last Tuesday evening when she rolled down the front stairs of the dwelling. She has fully recovered.

The case against Mrs. P. K. Graves sworn to by Mrs. H. Eugene has been postponed indefinitely.

John Azevedo, foreman for the West Sacramento Co. is the proud possessor of a big new auto. He has promised several friends that he will show them what speed means when he is able to get out in his spare time.

John Silva King is also the owner of a car, but being very careful, he invested in a Ford. He vouches he does not want his neck broken and wants to stay a father to his children for some years to come.

Mrs. A. J. Fleming was greatly surprised last Tuesday morning when she went out on her front porch to take a few mouthfuls of the fresh morning breeze. A man without hat or shoes was just trying to get into her home. She called loudly for help and the fellow ran, leaving all his belongings. Mrs. Fleming wants him to come back for his clothing.

A new carpet adds much to the comfort of a home, Locke & Son, 318 J street, have a great stock at easy prices.—adv.

An attempt was made to enter the Klefman home on Monday morning but Mr. Klefman heard the intruder and scared him away. He had been using a jimmy on the front windows without success.

Last Saturday morning Constable Russell with Herman Garber and Gene Parkinson made a trip along the railroad track west of town to examine the sanitary condition of "the camp" located there. About forty hobos were ordered to move, but there were just as many more back there on the same evening. Some of these men have regular rooms in the cheap lodging houses of Sacramento, but prefer to sleep in the open air. They cross the bridge at a late hour and make their beds in the brush without evil intent or a desire to disturb anyone.

Mrs. J. Soule has entirely recovered from her late spell of sickness.

Mrs. E. A. Palm is able to be around her home with the aid of crutches and expects to be able to discard them in a week or ten days.

P. A. Hart in the good boat Aquatic took thirty-two employes of the Kimball-Upson Co. to the Mallard Gun Club grounds on a fishing trip last Sunday. Lots of fish were caught and the outing was pronounced a great success.

Joe Lawrence has three teams leveling the sand on the front street levee south of Harriett street. His contract only calls for that portion as far south as Mary street. That portion between there and the M-street bridge will be done later.

Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Hanson with their nieces Mary and Frances will leave tomorrow morning for Dillon's beach for a vacation of two weeks. Mrs. Mary Hanson will leave at the same time to spend several weeks at the Hotel Del Mar at Seabright.

J. G. Soule and wife with Mrs. S. P. Pankost and Gene Parkinson made a trip to Vallejo last Sunday in the Soule Buick. They returned without mishap although J. G. drove the entire distance and a splendid outing was enjoyed.

"Home comfort" is a prize which everybody wants. Try Locke & Son, 318 J street, Sacramento.—adv.

Cunningham and McClure have been forced to add to their delivery service although only a few weeks ago a Ford truck was bought to accommodate their growing trade. Last Saturday they put on a horse and wagon to do the short runs around town.

Jerry Dillon is at the McDonough home from Anderson to spend a few weeks in town.

C. Jennings of San Mateo is in town looking after his property on James street. He is making extensive repairs.

July 17th will be the last date on which taxpayers may appear before the Board of Equalization in Woodland. The Board of Supervisors are now holding special sessions listening to complaints against valuations.

Mrs. E. C. Turner has returned to her home in Chico after two weeks' visit in Washington.

SUIT STARTED TO COMPEL S. P. TO OPEN DRAINAGE

At the request of the Levee Trustees of Washington and the Levee Trustees of District 811, District Attorney McDonald filed for Yolo County yesterday a complaint against the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, asking that the court order the company to open a culvert through its railroad embankment west of town. The embankment prevents the flow of seepage waters from the neighborhood and has proved a source of annoyance.

Last winter the Trustees of District 811 damned the flow of water near Seventh street with the result that all property west of Third street was overflowed for several weeks.

When the railroad embankment was built a few years ago the culvert which had formerly conveyed surface water westward was closed and it is the opening of this culvert which is asked for in the suit.

SCHOOL CHILDREN WILL GO TO SACRAMENTO FOR SOME STUDIES

A request has been made by the Washington School Trustees on the Board of Education of Sacramento to permit the children to attend the Manual Training and Domestic Science classes in Sacramento.

Formal reply has not yet been received, but it is understod that permission will be granted.

No charge will be made for the lessons outside of the actual cost of materials used.

There are 39 pupils in the local school who will take advantage of opportunity, namely the children of the sixth, seventh and eighth grades.

MAN'S LEG NEARLY SEVERED IN ATTEMPT TO BOARD TRAIN

Last Friday evening in attempting to board a moving freight train on the Southern Pacific, just in front of the postoffice, a man giving the name of Clarence L. Wallace fell beneath the wheels and suffered so severe a cut on his left leg that a county hospital surgeon in Sacramento found it necessary to sever the member below the knee. Wallace was picked up and taken to Sacramento to the police emergency hospital. From there he was rushed to the county hospital in the patrol automobile.

The accident was witnessed by several persons on Ann street, who rushed to the man's assistance. He would otherwise have been ground under the wheels of the train.

Wallace was on his way from Chicago to San Francisco.

He is still confined at the Sacramento County Hospital.

F. W. Todhunter returned from San Francisco last Monday after a short visit at the bay district.

H. Armstrong with his sister-in-law, Eva Chambers, are at home after a short visit with friends in Richmond.

Elon Flint is convalescent after being under a physician's care for several days with a threatened case of typhoid fever.

When an automobile plunged over an embankment at Riverbank last Monday, P. Augestine, owner and driver of the car, Mrs. J. Remo and her three-year-old child, and Miss Leda Peters were painfully injured. They were taken to Sacramento and their injuries were treated at the City Emergency Hospital.

A. A. Merkley was appointed administrator of the estate of his brother, C. H. Merkley, last Monday by Superior Judge Anderson. The widow had been appointed, but asked the court to appoint her brother-in-law.

The wedding of Miss Florence Kripp, daughter of Ed Kripp to William Morris Cohn of Folsom took place Thursday at the home of Senator Cohn of Folsom. Miss Kripp was born in Washington at the old Kripp home, now a part of West Sacramento headquarters.

S. P. WILL BE REQUESTED TO WIDEN ENTRANCE AT THIS END OF THE BRIDGE

SUPERVISORS WILL BE ASKED TO PLACE SIGNS FOR THE DIRECTION OF TRAVELERS OVER THE YOLO CAUSEWAY.

At the regular meeting of the Washington Improvement Club last Tuesday evening, it was decided to request the S. P. Co. to widen the entrance to the overhead roadway at this end of the bridge.

For some considerable time past the necessity of this change has been evident because on various occasions vehicles and automobiles have become tangled resulting in damage and endangering the lives of several people.

Only last Tuesday evening was this clearly exemplified. An electric from Sacramento came down the grade at a moderate rate of speed and when turning the sharp corner at Third street a front wheel collapsed, leaving the vehicle in the roadway an obstruction to traffic, a menace to automobiles and dangerous to all vehicles going to or coming from Sacramento.

A large telegraph pole which now stands at the southern entrance to the bridge is very much in the way but can easily be removed to the northern entrance without detriment to the wires which are strung thereon.

Several crossing posts and sign posts are also dangerous and in the way of traffic, making the crossings very sharp turns right on two railroad tracks which are traversed by frequent trains.

The feasibility of widening the opening is without question. There is lots of space to spare. All that would be necessary is the removal of a section of the fencing and sidewalk at the southern side of the bridge.

If this was done there would be ample room for all vehicles to cross the railroad tracks without interference and there would be little danger, for any traveler may observe incoming and outgoing trains.

A committee of the Club was appointed to interview Division Superintendent Brennan and make request that this change be made. The committee consists of Mrs. J. McNevin, P. A. Fitzgerald and Mrs. F. H. Todhunter.

It was decided also at the meeting that a request would be made on Supervisor Leinberger to place signs for the direction of travelers on their way to or from the Yolo Causeway. The location of these signs was specified as follows: One at the forks of the highway, south of the subway from Fifth street, one at Fifth and Mary streets, and one at Third and Mary streets.

Further, two signs were deemed necessary, one at Fifth and Ann streets and one at Fourth and Ann streets.

A committee of the Club was named to interview Supervisor Leinberger and make this request to consist of D. Barry, P. A. Fitzgerald and Mrs. J. McNevin.

The financial report to the Club which was read at last Tuesday's meeting shows a very healthy condition of financial affairs during the past year. A worthy donation was made by the Club towards purchasing chairs for the Town Hall in the amount of $50. A piano was also purchased, costing over $100 and various other donations showed that the Club is extremely active in furthering the best interests of the community.

The officers for the coming year were installed as follows:

President, Mrs. F. H. Todhunter; Vice-President, A. F. Reynolds; Recording Secretary, Belle Parkinson; Financial Secretary, Miss K. Williams; Treasurer, Mrs. W. E. Curry; Sergeant-at-Arms, Homer W. Lee; Trustees, Mrs. J. McNevin, Mrs. P. Braun, Mrs. J. Hutchinson.

It was decided by the Club that during the summer months regular meetings would be held only twice a month. The next meeting will be on July 25th.

UNKNOWN FOUND DEAD IN VACANT LOT

About 40 years of age, dressed in a brown suit with black hair and nothing of value in his possession, a man was found dead last Tuesday morning by Constable Russell in a vacant lot on Sixth street near the S. P. embankment.

He had evidently died during the night, a vicitim of tuberculosis, brought on by exposure.

There were no papers on the remains and no marks that might lead to identification except that the upper front teeth had been extracted.

He was unknown in this locality, and at an inquest held by Deputy Coroner Oliver a verdict was rendered in accordance with the above.

The remains were taken to Woodland for burial.

DISTRICT 785 WINS.

Woodland, July 10.—In the case of Reclamation District No. 785 vs. Lovdal Brothers, and others, an action to force the payment of certain assessments, the defendants moved non-suit on the ground that the assessments had not been made in the manner specified in the contract. They accordingly moved non-suit. The court to-day denied the motion, and defendants were cited to answer.

ONE OF TWINS DEAD.

Last Tuesday morning twin babies were born to a Spanish family who are camped on the property owned by the Washington Land Co. south of Margaret street.

The first born was a healthy child, but the second child was dead at birth.

Deputy Coroner Wilson was called and an inquest was held, the verdict being in consonance with the above facts.

"SHORTY" KIMMELL IS IN OMAHA

About June 15th, "Shorty" Kimmell, a well-known character around Washington and widely known in Sacramento, responded to the invitation of several relatives in Omaha and went to visit with them. A host of grandchildren and relatives awaited him but in a communication to a friend in Sacramento the other day, he advised that California and Washington are like loadstones drawing him back all the time.

"Shorty" was game keeper for the gun clubs in West Sacramento before the tract was reclaimed. He and his dog were faithful friends and always shared the same bed. Since the death of his wife several years ago, his gun has been his com-

SERIOUSLY INJURED IN FALL FROM TRESTLE.

Jack Lyman, an employe of the Kirk-Geary Drug Company, was seriously injured last Sunday when his bicycle ran off the Southern Pacific trestle near Milton station.

Lyman fell twenty feet, suffering internal injuries, a broken jaw and possibly fracture of the skull.

The cyclist was returning from a fishing trip. He was riding along a trestle. He rode too close to the rail of the track and was thrown from his bicycle.

He was treated at the Emergency Hospital in Sacramento and removed to the Sisters' Hospital.

It Pays to Study Salesmanship

Washington feels justly proud of her sons and daughters. Donald McKeown is advancing; he is now salesman with Kimball-Upson Co. of Sacramento, and doing nicely. He is a boooster for Heald's Business College, where he received a thorough training in business principles and in salesmanship.

Donald believes in every young man doing the best he can. He has scores of friends who wish him success in his present employment.

BIGLER A VICTIM OF OVER WORK

SINCERITY IN OCCUPATION RESULTED IN OVERSTRAIN AND PNEUMONIA.

Caesar Bigler, agricultural engineer, who was a member of the firm of Bigler, Paul and Furlong of Sacramento, died last Sunday, July 9th, from an attack of pneumonia. He was 32 years old and is survived by a widow and two children, Robert and William.

It is believed his illness was brought on by the recent strain under which he went in making an investigation of conditions in Calaveras County due to the fumes from copper smelters and his appearance in the Federal Court as a witness in the case brought by the farmers against the smelter people.

He was graduated from the University of Berne, Switzerland, and also the University of California.

The body was sent to Oakland for cremation.

Bigler was a very sincere man of estimable qualities. He was recognized one of the best soil experts in California, and was making rapid progress in establishing a remunerative business.

During the past three years he resided at the soil laboratory in West Sacramento, near the foot of Lake Washington.

He was a member of the Farm Bureau and also a director thereof.

He endeared himself to every neighbor in his locality by his affable manners and his desire to help.

CLAIMS ALLOWED BY SUPERVISORS

The following claims were awarded at the July meeting of the Yolo County Board of Supervisors:

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1.

W. H. Baker, roadwork	$ 11.00
A. F. Ross, roadwork	23.00
T. Shannon, labor	8.00
O. B. Wilber, roadwork	12.00
Wash. Water and Light Co., water	78.00

WASHINGTON LEVEE.

H. Nelson French, legal services	$262.50
C. V. Reynolds, labor, mat.	31.05
F. W. Stiegler, services	4.00

FOUND.

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fectively working to achieve this goal. We have the confidence in our community to succeed in changing the criminal environment. We expect the city council to have the same confidence in our community by doing their part and spending the money to rehabilitate the Washington Firehouse/Townhall and putting it to use. Our joint and several responsibility for carrying out our obligations to rid West Sacramento of its criminal environment is now. There is no other time.

JULIA HARRINGTON
West Sacramento

Drug treatment neglected

Lately, we have been reading about our situation with substance abuse. Many articles have been printed in the editorial section; it would seem to be the greatest problem we have in the state of California.

Drugs are tearing us all apart, but especially the young. The drug war seems like a losing battle. We are made to believe that law enforcement will eventually solve this problem, but the situation has continued for 20 years.

We have created a strong political group. The works who man our prisons are a group that has control of the elected officials. They get a high salary, and all the money they need, and a new prison. Twenty years ago, we were on a roll, we were getting the consumers off the street. We were winning the war. Where did the bottom fall out?

President Reagan went to work in the White House, and the first thing he did was stop federal funding of community-based non-profit programs. Today, the G.O.P. is saying "more power to the states," and sends the funds directly to the state. They will, and can do the job better – baloney.

Then, his next step was to put mental health in charge of our national institutions for drug and alcohol. History will tell you that the mental health method of treating addicts and alcoholics does not work. It is a big joke, and they rake in the bucks! Addicts are not crazy, they're addicted.

If we could get half the users clean, there would be a big line at the unemployment office, consisting of police officers, correctional officers and lawyers and judges. Then all the mental health workers could go back to treating the mentally ill.

What is the big shame for us in California that treatment is not even talked about by our elected officials? Why? Because they have also cleaned their hands of it all. The state sends the money to the county governments. Now this is the biggest joke I have ever seen. The county puts together their program of professionals. In most counties, all the treatment programs you see are in the county seat. All of the people in the county have to go there for help. The cities don't get the funds to deliver their own programs. In our small towns and cities, we are left out in the cold.

Now, getting back to our elected officials. When the Republicans had control, they did very little to help win the war on drugs. It seems to me that today, our leaders are going to do the same. Not one word has come from our new governor about what he plans to do. The shame comes in what our schools are going through.

He makes big thunder about educating our children. My question to him is, how are we really going to get the job done? Today in many of our schools we have law enforcement, probation officers and even police dogs. Just the other day in the great All-American City here, there were 45 kids and a couple of adults arrested by an undercover agent. My question to Governor Davis is, what are you all going to do?

Let's hear some dialogue about his plans. The problem to me is big. How are we going to keep our schools clean of drugs? When are we going to start turning it back to the small towns like Galt, so they can have the tools to do the job? When are we going to put a strong leader in charge of our State Department of Drugs and Alcohol treatment, who understands the needs of all Californians? When are we going to put the leader there who can clearly say "enough is enough"? Let us turn this thing around!

BILL RESENDEZ
West Sacramento

This week in local government

The West Sacramento City Council will meet tonight (Wednesday) beginning at 7 p.m. at 2101 Stone Blvd., second floor. Agenda items include:

Public hearing and consideration of a resolution vacating portions of the public right-of-way on Industrial Blvd., Terminal St. and Barcelona Ave.

Public hearing and a resolution regarding weed abatement charges and assessments for certain parcels.

Consideration of a resolution affecting the Harbor Blvd. Pavement Rehabilitation Project.

Consideration of a parcel map for the previously abandoned El Rancho Court, at Merkley Ave.

A report on the Residential Traffic Calming Program.

Consideration of a contract with Seifel Associates for consulting on a new AB 1290 Five Year Implementation Plan.

Consideration of revisions to the classifications of Finance Manager and Maintenance Superintendent.

Presentation of the 1999-2000 Budget.

Consideration of design issues and a possible request for proposals regarding the former Washington Firehouse.

Consideration of the Telecommunications Infrastructure Report and implementation.

Consideration of an option to purchase development parcels in the Washington Specific Plan.

Discussion of the duties and powers of the city's mayor position.

The West Sacramento Planning Commission will meet Thursday, July 15 at 6 p.m. in the city council chambers, 2101 Stone Blvd. Agenda items will include:

A Club Pheasant tentative parcel map approval;

VLMK Engineers Variance regarding an 8-foot privacy wall on Riverside Parkway.

Oates Tentative Parcel Map on 6.7 acres near the west end of Evergreen Ave., zoned light industrial.

Advance America conditional use permit, regarding a potential "cash advance" operation at One Park Plaza, near Park Blvd. and Jefferson Blvd. Proponent is Robert Cutshall.

COMING SOON:
How Daryl left his tan lines near Wilton. . .

BARNEY from page one

some of our other neighbors fences until he found a jumping off place that would free him up to go visiting."

Over the years, Barney's need to be 'about town' has made him a lot of friends and admirers, but it has also gotten him into some trouble.

"He's ended up in the pound a couple of times," said Karrie, "and if he does it a third time, there's going to be a $60 fine. We've just been very fortunate that Barney seems to be very careful when he crosses the street and also that there are so many kind people in West Sacramento looking out after him. This Christmas I'm planning on sending out cards to all the people who care about Barney and have been so good about always returning him to us. And I just can't say enough about the kind doctors and employees of the Westside Veterinary Hospital, who often are the ones who end up with Barney. They are always so nice when they call us to come and get him and we really appreciate all they've done for Barney."

Gary and Karrie have a daughter, Danielle, and all three of them are understandably very attached to Barney.

"We know he loves us," said Karrie, "because he always comes home and he's always so happy to see us after one of his little escapades. We try to walk him as often as we can and do all the other things you're supposed to do to make a dog want to stay at home, but Barney just seems to have a need to take off on his own whenever he gets the chance. Once again, we're just very thankful for all the people who are out there looking out after him and seem to love him as much as we do."

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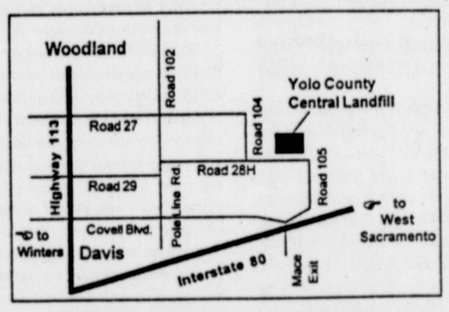

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PUBLIC NOTICES cont'd

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee Sale No. 99-00987 Loan No. 214695417 Title Order No. 9252650 APN 014352241 FHA # 0435397186703 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 04/04/95. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On July 20, 1999, at 12:00 PM, **ARM FINANCIAL CORPORATION** as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded on 04/11/95 Instrument 95-0007834-00, Book , Page of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of YOLO County, California, executed by: PAVEL BEDLINSKIY AND ANNA BEDLINSKIY, HUSBAND AND WIFE AND ANNA BEDLINSKAYA, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN AND LYUBOV BEDLINSKIY, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN, as Trustor, FLEET MORTGAGE CORP., as Beneficiary, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). At: AT THE MAIN ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL AT 2101 STONE BLVD., WEST SACRAMENTO, CA, all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: "As more fully described on the above mentioned Deed of Trust". The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1440 ANNA ST, W SACRAMENTO, CA 95605. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: $83,680.71 (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Date: 06/30/99, **ARM FINANCIAL CORPORATION**, P.O. Box 85309, San Diego, CA 92186-5309, (619) 689-9735 JACK HANCOCK, ASSISTANT SECRETARY NPP0063691 06/30/99, 07/07/99, 07/14/99

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 25, 1999
File No. 99-397

The following person is doing business as Train Pro; Sacred Space; Universal Life Books; Universal Church Supply, 575 Ariel Ct.:

Kevin Bernard Andrews, 575 Ariel Ct., Woodland CA 95695.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/24/99.

/s/Kevin Andrews

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Jun 25, 1999
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk

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INVITATION TO BID

Pursuant to Public Contractors Code, the city of West Sacramento is soliciting bids for the publication of legal notices for the 1999-2000 fiscal year. Respondents must be a newspaper of general circulation and published locally. The Legal Notice Bid Form, available from the office of the City Clerk, must be filled out in its entirety, sealed in an envelope clearly marked "Publication Bid" and received in the office of the City Clerk, 2101 Stone Blvd., West Sacramento, CA by 3:00 p.m. on July 14, 1999. Substantiating information must also be included in the same envelope. The city of West Sacramento reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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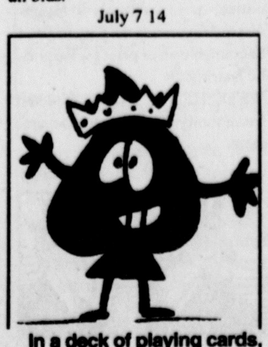

In a deck of playing cards, the King of Spades is believed to represent King David.

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File No. 99-399
FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

The following person(s) is/are doing business as: RENTAL INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION, RIA, 216 N. East St., Woodland, California 95776

California Rental Association, a California Nonprofit Corporation

This business is conducted by a corporation.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on May 1, 1999

SIGNED: CALIFORNIA RENTAL ASSOCIATION, BY: LESLIE E. CHAYO, ATTORNEY/ASST. SEC.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on June 25, 1999

NOTICE-This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the Office of the County Clerk. A new Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed prior to that date. The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 17900 et seq., Business and Professions Code).

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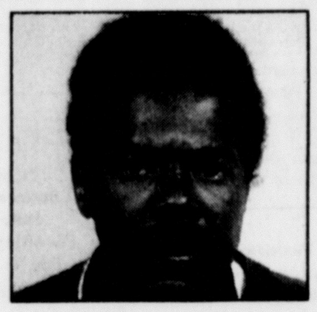
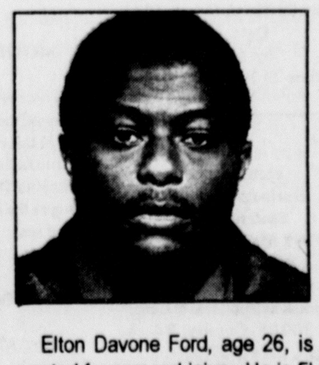
West Sac's Most Wanted



Gregory Leroy Townsend is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Department warrants section (372-2461 ext 226) for driving while under the influence, with special felony enhancements. He is 5' 10" tall, with black hair and brown eyes, and is 47 years old.

Kimberly Ann Joiner is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Department's warrants section (372-2461 ext 226) for violation of probation. She is 31 years old, 5' 2" tall, 110 pounds, with brown hair and brown eyes.

Donna Mae Littlemoon, age 34, is wanted by the West Sacramento Police Dept. warrants section (372-2461 ext 226) for assault with a deadly weapon. She is 34 years old, 5' 4" tall, 170 lbs., with black hair and brown eyes.



Elton Davone Ford, age 26, is wanted for corporal injury. He is 5' 9" tall, 185 pounds, with black hair and brown eyes.

If you have any information as to the whereabouts of any of these individuals, please contact the West Sacramento Police Department, Warrants Section, at 372-2461 ext. 226, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. on Monday through Friday.

If you know the immediate location of the person outside of normal business hours, please contact the West Sacramento Police Department Dispatch at 375-6474.

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Public Notices

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 11, 1999
File No. 99-371

The following persons are doing business as M&S Acoustics, 38 Darby Court, Woodland, CA 95776:

Thomas Allen Ward, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/1/99.

/s/Thomas A. Ward

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: June 11, 1999
by: /s/Lupe Ramirez, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 16, 1999
File No. 99-384

The following person is doing business as Learning Designs, 1723 Cottonwood Street, Woodland, CA 95695:

Suzanne Falzone, same address.

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/s/Suzanne Falzone

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: June 16, 1999
by: /s/, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed May 28, 1999
File No. 99-348

The following persons are doing business as Pilot Travel Center #168, 30035 County Rd. 8, Dunnigan, CA 95937:

Pilot Corporation, 5508 Lonas Rd., Knoxville, TN 37909, incorp. in Tennessee.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

/s/J. Todd Ellis
Asst. Secretary
Pilot Corporation

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: May 28, 1999
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 8, 1999
File No. 99-363

The following persons are doing business as Vulcan Materials Company, CalMat Division, 3200 San Fernando Road, Los Angeles, California 90065:

CALMAT CO., 3200 San Fernando Road, Los Angeles, CA 90065.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 6, 1999.

/s/Brian W. Ferris
Vice President
CALMAT CO.

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Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
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by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed May 24, 1999
File No. 99-341

The following person is doing business as California Networking; Yolo Community Network, 1109 Kennedy Place, Suite #2, Davis, CA 95616:

MOTHER.COM INTERNET SERVICES, INC., a California corporation.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on April 12, 1999.

/s/JAMES MULLEN
C.E.O.
MOTHER.COM INTERNET SERVICES, INC.

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: May 24, 1999
by: /s/K.Weisenburg, Deputy Clerk

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PUBLIC NOTICE

KJAY LLC, broadcasting as KJAY AM 1430, will be conducting tests during the night time hours from eight PM to twelve o'clock midnight during the month of July, utilizing our standard authorized antenna array. If you have any comment or information, please call the station manager at (916) 371-5101 during regular business hours, or write KJAY, 5030 South River Road, West Sacramento, California 95691.

All responses must be made within 30 days after tests begin. Testing will start July 1 and conclude July 30, 1999.

June 16 - July 28

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 30, 1999
File No. 99-403

The following persons are doing business as Clark Scottish Imports, 1240 Commerce Ave., Suite D, Woodland CA 95776:

Jon Michael Wilson, 1307 Via Colonna, Davis CA 95616.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1 July 1999.

/s/Jon M. Wilson

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Jun 30, 1999
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed May 13, 1999
File No. 99-316

The following persons are doing business as American Farmhouse Quilts, 39308 Spanish Bay Place, Davis CA 95616:

Vicki Sue Mori, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1-28-99.

/s/Vicki Sue Mori

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: May 13, 1999
by: /s/ , Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jun 30, 1999
File No. 99-405

The following person is doing business as Aromas, 424 G Street, Davis CA 95616:

MSA, Ltd., LLC, 1013 Bendita Court, Davis CA 95616.

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/30/99.

/s/Alan Vu

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: June 30, 1999
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed July 14, 1999
File No. 99-378

The following persons are doing business as Riverside Commerce Center I, 1679 Enterprise Blvd., Suite 50, West Sacramento CA 95691:

SN Properties Partnership, 1121 S.W. Salmon Street, Portland, OR 97205.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4/30/99.

/s/Jordan D. Schnitzer, Partner
Northern Warehousing Inc.
Defined Benefit Plan & Trust, Partner

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State of California
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Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Jun 14, 1999
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jun 14, 1999
File No. 99-379

The following person is doing business as Riverside Commerce Center II, 1679 Enterprise Boulevard, Suite 50, West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Harsch Investment Properties, LLC, 1121 S.W. Salmon Street, Portland, OR 97205

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 4/30/99.

Harsch Investment Properties, LLC
/s/Jordan D. Schnitzer, President

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Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Jun 14, 1999
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed July 2, 1999
File No. 99-413

The following person is doing business as T.J. Enterprises, 1626 Park Blvd., W. Sac., CA 95691:

Tracey Marie Joachim, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 7/1/99.

/s/Tracey Marie Joachim

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: July 2, 1999
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk

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NOTICE OF HEARING
AUGUST 5, 1999

The West Sacramento Planning Commission will consider the following matters on Thursday, August 5, 1999, in the City Council Chambers located at 2101 Stone Boulevard, West Sacramento, California, at the times as specified or as soon thereafter as the matters may be heard:

6:00 p.m.
Item #1
Zoning Administrator Actions
Item #2
Gainsborough General Plan and Rezone Amendment (GPA 99004)

This application proposes the relocation and reorientation of the Public Quasi Public (PQP) site with the approved Gainsborough residential subdivision. Under the proposed General Plan and zoning amendment the orientation of the PQP site will change from north/south to east/west. The Gainsborough Subdivision is located north of Marshall Road, south of the Southport Industrial Park, east of the Deep Water Ship Channel, and west of existing Southport residential development (APN 45-550-40). A previous Negative Declaration has been circulated for this project. OWNER/APPLICANT: Bayside Southport JV, 2627 Napoli Court, Carmichael, CA 95608. (SR)

Item #3
Informational Presentation on the State Route 275 Modification Project

HDR Engineering and the City's consultant will provide information to the Commission on the scope of the modification project, the process they are following, and the current schedule of the work. The modification is intended to integrate State Route 275 into the City's street pattern after the City obtains the right-of-way from Caltrans. (HG).

Copies of the applications, legal descriptions, and environmental documents are on file in the office of the City of West Sacramento Community Development Department, 1951 South River Road, West Sacramento, California 95691.

All affected parties should appear and explain to the Commission the effect that the proposed projects will have on their property and to state any other relevant information. If you challenge any of the noticed items in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City of West Sacramento at, or prior to, the public hearing.

/s/STEPHEN M. PATEK, Director
Community Development Department

July 14

In 1778 France became the first nation to recognize the United States as an independent nation.

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE of Frederick L. Rastede, aka Frederick Leonard Rastede, Frederick Rastede and Leonard Rastede
CASE NUMBER PB 99-114

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of Frederick L. Rastede, aka Frederick Leonard Rastede, Frederick Rastede and Leonard Rastede:

A PETITION has been filed by Julius E. Polenske in the Superior Court of California, County of Yolo.

THE PETITION requests that Julius E. Polenske be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on July 20, 1999 at 8:30 a.m. in Dept. 2 located at 725 Court Street, Woodland, CA 95695.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in section 9100 of the California Probate Code. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a formal Request for Special Notice of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in section 1250 of the California Probate Code. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

Attorney for petitioner:
/s/Todd R. Robie, Esq.
Drobny Law Offices
2485 Natomas Park Dr., #500
Sacramento, CA 95833
(916) 641-0526

The first indoor ice skating rink was constructed by Thomas L. Rankin at Madison Square garden in 1879.

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 14, 1999
File No. 99-375

The following person is doing business as Swift Leasing, 5150 Chiles Road, Davis, CA 95616:

SWIFT DODGE, a California corporation.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 8/20/73.

/s/ROXANNE T. DANERI
Secretary
Swift Dodge

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: June 14, 1999
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jun 16, 1999
File No. 99-383

The following persons are doing business as Nucleus Productions New Media Development; Point in Space Web Hosting Services, 2026 East 8th St., Davis, CA 95616:

John Francis May, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/1/99.

/s/John F. May

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County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: June 16, 1999
by: /s/Vikki Wittig, Deputy Clerk

Jun 30 Jul 7 14 21

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 16, 1999
File No. 99-382

The following person is doing business as The Hot Spot, 333 F St., Suite B, Davis, CA 95616:

Erick Watson and Deanna Hopper, 4912 Springwood Cir., Fairfield, CA 94585.

This business is conducted by Co-Partners. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 16, 1999.

/s/Erick Watson
/s/Deanna Hopper

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Date: June 16, 1999
by: /s/Vikki Wittig, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Jun 17, 1999
File No. 99-385

The following persons are doing business as AUTOZONE, Store #5720, 1400 W. Capitol Ave.:

CHIEF AUTO PARTS, INC. (a Delaware corporation), 123 S. Front St., Memphis, TN 38103.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/28/99.

/s/Donald R. Rawlins
Asst. Secty.
CHIEF AUTO PARTS, INC.

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: June 17, 1999
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed May 28, 1999
File No. 99-350

The following person is doing business as SIGN HERE, 113 Fiske Ave., Woodland, CA 95695:

Salvador Anthony Tafoya, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on .

/s/Sal Tafoya

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: May 28, 1999
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Dec 28, 1998
File No. 98-751

The following persons are doing business as Groutmaster of Tri County, 1025 Barnes Cir., Woodland, CA 95776:

Candis Leigh Hutchison and Bret B. Hutchison, same address as above.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/28/98.

/s/Candis Leigh Hutchison

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County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: 12/28/98
by: /s/Cynthia Stiles, Deputy Clerk

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Directory of Local Businesses

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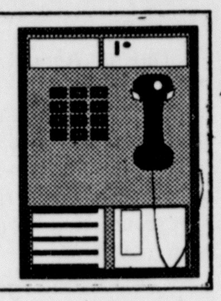

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JK-45tfn

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JK-45tfn

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AD-48

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BNJH-50

Veterans Press, Northern California's veterans newspaper, is looking for aggressive, self-motivated account representatives. Full & part time account rep positions available for the only comprehensive veterans newspaper serving Northern California's 3 million veterans. Past experience in sales, and good communication skills are preferred. Position pays salary plus commission. Contact Pat at (916) 371-2511.
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GARAGE & YARD SALES

YARD SALE Saturday, July 17, 8am-5pm, 1829 Delaware Ave., West Sac.
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(NAPS)—For information on saving for retirement, call the U.S. Department of Labor at 1-800-998-7542 or see the web site at www.dol.gov/dol.pwb

To learn about the latest cardiac technology, visit the website at www.siemens.de/med or call 732-321-3277.

For information on preventing Sudden Infant Death Syndrome, call the Back to Sleep Campaign at 1-800-505-2742 or visit the Pampers Parenting Institute's Web site at www.pampers.com.

Information about the Blinded Veterans Association is available by writing to: Blinded Veterans Association, 477 H Street, Northwest, Washington, D.C. 20001-2694. You can also call toll-free at 800-669-7079. Or visit

BVA's website at www.bva.org.

To refer someone to free care at Shriners Hospitals for Children in the United States, call 1-800-237-5055.

For a brochure on Home Electrical Safety, enclose a 55¢, stamped self-addressed No. 10 envelope to: The National Electrical Safety Foundation, 1300 N. 17th St., #1847, Rosslyn, VA 22209, or call (703) 841-3229; www.nesf.org.

Written a letter-to-the-editor lately?
Let the community know what you think! Send a letter to the News-Ledger, P.O. Box 463, West Sacramento, CA 95691.

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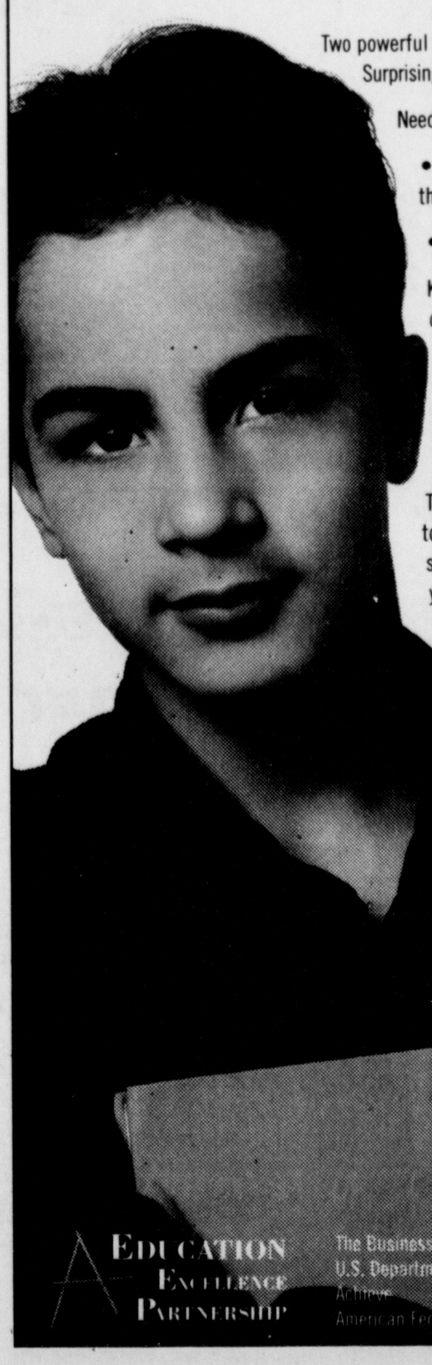

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Local Scene

Bookmobile

Yolo County's traveling "bookmobile" will run from through Aug. 27, visiting West Sacramento on Tuesdays according to the following schedule: Rivergate Apartments on Simon Terrace 9:30-10:30 a.m.; Elkhorn Village Park near Cummins Way 10:45 a.m.-11:15 a.m.; Holly Courts Apts. On Maple 11:30 a.m. to noon; Devon & Manchester 1:15 p.m. to 2 p.m.; and Linden Park near Summerfield from 2:15 to 3 p.m. The bookmobile will bring books and magazines in English and Spanish. To check out materials, a library card will be necessary – but applications for library cards will be on hand. Call 375-6465 for information.

Lunch & recreation

The West Sacramento Parks and Community Services Dept. is sponsoring K.I.D.S. (Kids Involved During Summer), a drop-in recreation program for kids 5-12. There will be arts, music, drama, sports, water fun and more, as well as special events and a free lunch. Program sites will be at various West Sacramento locations, Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., June 28 to Aug. 6. Call 373-5860 for details.

Bus to Six Flags

YoloBus has won approval to extend bus service to Six Flags Amusement Park in Vallejo this summer from June 1 to Aug. 31. Also, beginning June 1 kids age 5 to 17 can ride at reduced rates. Other YoloBus summer destinations include the Vacaville skating center (ice and inline skating), the 16-screen Brendan Theater complex, Vacaville's outlet malls and the Solano malls. Call YoloBus at (530) 661-0816 for information.

Wildlife volunteers

The Wildlife Care Association of Sacramento (WCA) is seeking volunteers to care for injured and orphaned wildlife. Duties include feeding and cleaning out pens. Over 100 native species are rehabilitated and released back into the wild by WCA; over 2,000 animals have been brought to WCA by members of the public in the first two months of this season. For information, call Nancy O'Connor, (916) 444-8822.

Rummage sale

Community Lutheran Church will hold its annual Community Rummage Sale and Flea Market on Sat., Aug. 7. The event will also include a safety faire, with representatives of the West Sacramento police and fire departments, a barbecue, face painting and other entertainment. Flea market spaces are $10. Call the church at 371-8804 to reserve a space.

Amphibious race

The River Otter Amphibious Race ("ROAR," a "kinetic sculpture race") will take place on the Sacramento and West Sacramento riverfront areas on Sept. 25. Entrants are invited to design and build "kinetic sculptures" to race across four miles of pavement, sand, mud and water, beginning in Old Sacramento and ending near the Money Store pyramid. Entries are $50. Prizes will be awarded for artistic merit and creativity, mechanical know-how, and first- and last-place finishes. The race will be held on the same day as the Riverbank Music Festival, featuring blues music on West Sacramento's riverfront. For information on the race, call (916) 552-6808 ext. 105 or visit www.riverotter.com.

Aircraft carrier

West Sacramento's VFW Post 8762 is planning a bus trip July 24 to visit the U.S.S. Hornet, a prominent W.W. II era aircraft carrier, which is now permanently docked in Alameda. For details, contact Hugh King, 371-7245.

Live music

The West Sacramento Elks are featuring live music during their open community dinners every Friday. Dinners begin at 6 p.m. For information, call 372-7470 ext. 6126.

Health award

The Salud Clinic Advisory Board is seeking nominations for its annual John Siden Award, awarded to an individual who has served the health and welfare of West Sacramento in an outstanding way. Call Aaron Burton at 375-6340 for information; nominations are due by Aug. 31.

Court hours

The Yolo Co. Superior Court and Traffic Court, 725 Main St. in Woodland, have extended public service hours to Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., including the lunch hour. The increase is due to an increase in state funding, the court reports.

Religious ed

Our Lady of Grace Parish plans a religious education program for public school children in kindergarten through eighth grade. The program will go from Sept. 1999 to April 2000, Tuesday evenings, 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. at Our Lady of Grace School, 1990 Linden Rd. Send children's names and grade levels to Deborah Prettyman, 8414 Arborwood Ct., Elk Grove, CA 95624, or register children following the 9 a.m. mass on Aug. 29 or Sept. 5.

Parenting

The Yolo Family Service Agency will offer an eight week parenting series for parents who have been mandated by the court to attend a parenting group. "Parenting for Yourself and Your Child" will be held Thursdays, from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., beginning July 22 at the Woodland United Way office. Cost is $120 for an individual or $176 for a couple, with 50% due on the first meeting and the balance at the fourth meeting. Call (530) 662-2211, (530) 753-8674 or (916) 375-1254.

Child care

An orientation meeting for those interested in becoming child care providers will be held on the third Tuesday of each month, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., at the Veterans Memorial Center Game Room, 203 E. 14th St. in Davis. The licensing and application process will be discussed. Call 1-800-378-5044.

Bible School

Trinity Presbyterian Church will host a Vacation Bible School from Monday, July 19, to Friday, July 23, evenings from 6 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. There is no charge. Ages preschool through eighth grade are welcome; show up on the 19th or call 371-5875.

Beeman for Congress

Howard Beeman, Democratic candidate for U.S. Congress in 1998, will meet with supporters at the Arthur F. Turner Library in West Sacramento on Sunday, July 18, at 7 p.m., to discuss another run for Congress in 2000. The Third District seat is currently held by Republican Doug Ose. Beeman is a Yolo County farmer.

Tuesday Club

The Tuesday Club of Sacramento will host a Hawaiian party July 20 at the club, beginning with social hour at 11 a.m. and lunch at noon. Cost is $18. Champagne punch, hors d'oevres and entertainment will be provided. Call 487-8427 by July 16. The club's philanthropy is the Children's Receiving Home of Sacramento.

Winning photos

Winning photographs from the "48 Hours in the Life of West Sacramento Contest" this year will be on display at the Coldwell Banker office, 840 Jefferson Blvd. (at Merkley) during July. In August, they will move to the Turner Library, 1212 Merkley Ave., and in September the traveling show will wind up at the Bank of America, 1511 West Capitol Ave. The photos can also be viewed at city hall or on the city's web site, www.ci.west-sacramento.ca.us, or on Charter Cable Channel 20.

Night Out Against Crime

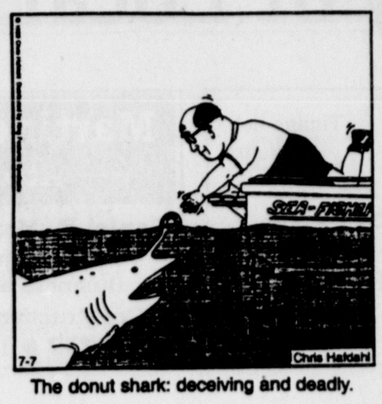
The 16th Annual "National Night Out Against Crime" will be held on Tuesday, Aug. 3. Over 9,000 communities, including West Sacramento (in conjunction with its police department) will participate. From 6 to 10 p.m., residents are invited to lock their doors, turn on outside lights and spend the evening outside with neighbors and police. Many block parties and other events are planned. Call 372-2461 ext 254 for information.

Hazardous stuff

Yolo County will host a household hazardous waste collection day from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, July 17, at the county landfill. Poisons, solvents, paints, gasoline, batteries, cleaners, pool chemicals, auto fluids, used motor oil and aerosol spray may be accepted. Call 372-0850 for further details.

"Safe Streets Now"

West Sacramento's "Safe Streets Now" chapter will meet at the city police department on July 19 at 7 p.m. Residents are invited.



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Answers to Puzzles

Vision Teasers

Differences: 1. Boy is barefoot. 2. Blanket is narrower. 3. Man has mustache. 4. Water bottle has been added. 5. Swim trunks have no stripe. 6. Boat is on horizon.

Sports Quiz Answers

1. Center field; 2. Bill Stoneman; 3. Yogi Berra; 4. Mickey Mantle; 5. In 1948, it was Satchel Paige at age 42 for the Cleveland Indians; 6. The late and great Pittsburgh Pirate Robertor Clemente; 7. "Charlie Hustle"; 8. Steve Carlton went 27-10 and the rest of the Phillies went 27-98

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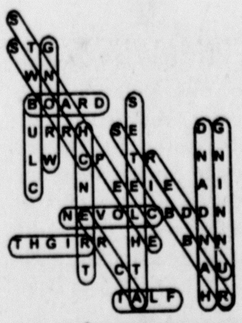

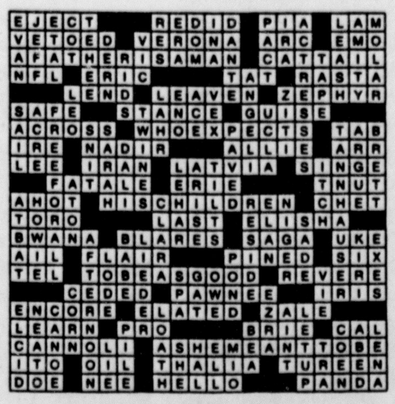

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